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| For:                     | A Method for Reformer Tube In Situ Inspection Radius Calculation) | ) |                        |
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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Please amend the specification as follows:

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please replace paragraph in the "Cross Reference to Related Applications" section of the specification. A marked up and clean copy of the paragraph has been provide in the following pages per 37 CFR 1.121(b).

**QUEST1120 Preliminary Amendment**